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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: REMOVABLE PROGRAMMABLE  
CONDUCTOR MEMORY CARD AND  
ASSOCIATED READ/WRITE DEVICE  
AND METHOD OF OPERATION

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Omitted Items mailed April 3, 2002 (Confirmation No. 3635), please amend the above-identified U.S. Patent application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please renumber pages 16-32 as pages 15-31.

**REMARKS**

When the application was originally filed, the page numbering skipped from page 14 to page 16. There is no page 15. Accordingly, the renumbering of pages 16-32 as pages 15-31 fixes this error.


For convenience of the Office, a duplicate copy of the application text with the corrected page numbering is attached.

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Applicants regret the page numbering error.

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